

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A method using a computer-readable medium having computer-executable instructions for tracking dynamic properties of a resource, the method comprising:

configuring a graphical display with plural predefined reference values of interest associated with the resource with an interactive graphical trigger element that includes plural user configurable trigger points;

~~performing a predefined action when a value of the resource matches one of the reference values of interest~~

defining the user configurable trigger points with at least one threshold trigger point representative of a critical value;

delivering a graphical alert to a user when a reference value of interest exceeds the critical value; and

defining the user configurable trigger points with at least one rearm trigger set point, wherein when the threshold trigger point is tripped, the graphical alert is disabled and not reset and rearmed until the reference value falls below the rearm trigger set point to avoid unwanted alerts within a value limit.

2. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising ~~configuring at least one predefined rearm value associated with the reference values of interest with an interactive graphical rearm trigger~~ plural threshold trigger points each having their own associated rearm trigger set point, respectively.

3. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising using a graphical user interface as the interface for displaying and allowing configuration of the interactive graphical element and the user configurable triggers points.

4. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising providing at least one of auditory or visual feedback alert with real time user interaction as the predefined action.

5. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising displaying visually coded indicia associated with predefined reference values of interest.

6. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising displaying visually coded indicia associated with at least one of trigger status, enablement and disablement of the user configurable triggers points.

7. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the ~~interactive graphical triggers~~ are threshold trigger points representative of critical values are defined by a user.

8. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising displaying the tracking with a display bar that has at least one of a drop down menu, a pop-up window or a shortcut function for enabling configuration of the ~~graphical triggers~~ user configurable trigger points.

9. (currently amended) In a computer system having a memory storage area and a graphical user interface, a method for tracking resources coupled to the computer system, the method comprising:

configuring a graphical display with threshold trigger points that reference critical values of interest of the resource;

delivering a graphical alert to a user when a reference value of interest exceeds the critical value;

configuring rearm trigger points that reference reset values of interest of the resource, wherein when one of the threshold trigger points is tripped, the graphical alert is disabled and not reset and rearmed until the reference value falls below one of the rearm trigger set points to avoid unwanted alerts within a value limit; and

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~~alerting a user when a value of the resource exceeds the configured referenced critical value of interest.~~

10. (original) The method of claim 9, wherein the trigger points are pre-configured by the user.

11. (original) The method of claim 9, wherein the trigger points are pre-configured by the computer system.

12. (original) The method of claim 9, further comprising providing at least one of auditory or visual feedback with real time user interaction as the alert:

13. (original) The method of claim 9, wherein the alert includes performing a predefined action of at least one of suspension, cessation, adjustment, disablement, re-enablement, or deletion of events related to the resource.

14. (currently amended) A user interface of a computer system with a graphical display element for tracking dynamic properties of a resource, the graphical display element comprising:

plural interactive user configurable triggers points corresponding to plural pre-configured reference values of interest associated with the resource; and

~~a module that performs a predefined action when a value of the resource matches one of the reference values of interest.~~

at least one threshold trigger point representative of a critical value defined as one of the user configurable trigger points;

a graphical alert that is issued when a reference value of interest exceeds the critical value; and

at least one rearm trigger set point defined as one of the user configurable trigger points, wherein when the threshold trigger point is tripped, the graphical alert is disabled and not reset and rearmed until the reference value falls below the rearm trigger set point to avoid unwanted alerts within a value limit.

15. (currently amended) The graphical element of claim 14, further comprising ~~at least one predefined rearm trigger corresponding with a rearm value that is associated with the reference values of interest~~ plural threshold trigger points each having their own associated rearm trigger set point, respectively.

16. (currently amended) The graphical element of claim 14, further comprising a status display bar that displays resource values and allows user configuration of the ~~interactive triggers~~ user configurable trigger points.

17. (original) The graphical element of claim 16, wherein the status bar displays visually coded indicia associated with the predefined reference values of interest.

18. (original) The graphical element of claim 14, wherein the predefined action includes at least one of auditory or visual feedback alert having real time user interaction.

19. (currently amended) The graphical element of claim 14, wherein ~~a portion of the interactive graphical triggers are threshold~~ trigger points representative of critical values are defined by a user.

20. (currently amended) The graphical element of claim 14, further comprising a display bar that has is at least one of a drop down menu, a pop-up window or a shortcut function for enabling configuration of the ~~interactive triggers~~ user configurable trigger points.